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MacArthur Returns To Manila, Internees Crowd Around Him

Japanese Fight
To Maintain Hold
On City's Section
South of River

By Fred Hampson

MANILA, Feb. 7.—(AP)—General Douglas MacArthur returned for a brief time to Manila today, fulfilling his pledge that he would return to the Philippine capital, while a grim race developed between Americans trying to clean out the city and a trapped enemy bent on destroying it.

The American commander visited Santo Tomas internment camp while it was being shelled by the Japanese and left as one shell smashed into the earth within a hundred feet of him. The enemy artillery had bombarded the area intermittently throughout Tuesday night and today, wounding some soldiers.

Internees crowded around MacArthur arrived before noon and cheered him lustily. He was accompanied by his staff. They alighted from their motor cars amid cheers of "there's MacArthur" and "he's back."

The historic moment had for a background the bitter fight for the burning city. American artillery began bombarding areas south of the Pasig river in an effort to drive out the Japanese who "wantonly" set fire to the city, MacArthur said. The enemy force was strongest in the southern area and the American command resorted to the extreme measure of shelling it—something they had hoped to avoid—only when other efforts to rout out the enemy had failed.

Not Giving Up

There was no indication that Japanese demolition squads were ready to surrender their slender hold on that portion of the city's center lying south of the river. Already they have wrecked about a square mile of the metropolitan district north of the Pasig.

Japanese demolition crews added new explosive fires to those already kindled on both banks of the Pasig and in other sectors of the city. One appeared to center in Manila's Chinese hotel, near the Escolta. At least three other fires appeared to be burning south of the river. They were large, but not widespread.

Damage south of the river is not extensive—yet. It will become so unless the Yanks run down these demolition crews and incendiaries.

Their Purpose Doubtful

It was hard to tell whether the Japanese were destroying merely their own supplies and stores on concentrated sections of the city or trying to burn the city in retaliation for the American invasion.

while fires still smoldered in the blackened, rubble-strewn business area, Gen. Douglas MacArthur told his soldiers, "You will shortly complete the liberation of the Philippines" climaxing Japan's "worst military defeat in its history."

He requested divine services throughout his command for "our hallowed dead."

Flames appeared to be dying out along Escolta avenue, thoroughfare of theaters, shops and office buildings, where Japanese demolition squads touched off explosives and drums of gasoline Monday night.

Details of destruction were delayed by incredible traffic jams caused by blown bridges along the Pasig river, fire fighters, Filipinos fleeing the fire, the curious and the army moving in for the final clean-up.

A mile square area was reported destroyed, including all the major buildings along the Escolta, among them some of the Orient's finest theaters. Associated Press Correspondent Russell Brines reported "a great black gash appeared to have burned in that section of the city north of the Pasig river."

Water Mains Empty

Manila's water mains were empty, for the enemy had blown up the pumping stations several days ago, and the great fire raged unchecked through the closely built area, spreading before a brisk wind toward the east and north. Explosions hurled burning chunks of wood into areas still inhabited by many of the more than 5,000 war prisoners liberated Saturday and Sunday, but were extinguished.

Many Filipinos undoubtedly were trapped in their homes and burned alive.

MacArthur said the fire, "wantonly" set by the Japanese.

Gen. MacArthur Issues Order For Prayers

MANILA, Feb. 7.—(AP)—

General MacArthur, whose new war cry is "On to Tokyo," issued a general order requesting prayers throughout his command for American dead, telling his troops:

"You will shortly complete the liberation of the Philippines.

"You have redeemed a country's pledge to recapture its lost land.

"You have inflicted the greatest military defeat in its history on your enemy.

"You are restoring to the east its destiny.

"You have fulfilled the sacred mission for our hallowed dead.

"For all this we have to thank God."

Internees May Return Home

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—(AP)—

General Douglas MacArthur has informed the War and State departments that persons liberated in the Philippines will be permitted to come home "as soon as the military situation permits."

MacArthur has also advised Washington, it was disclosed today, that "he has taken all appropriate measures to provide for the welfare of all United Nations citizens (liberated) and that those relief measures will be continued throughout the period of military administration by the civil affairs authorities of the army."

A joint statement of the two departments was issued by Acting Secretary of State Grew at a news conference. Grew also reported that a Japanese ship, the Awa Maru, traveling under safe conduct guarantees, will leave Japan February 17 with relief supplies for Allied nationals in Formosa, as well as those at or near Hong Kong, Saigon, Singapore, Surabaya, Batavia and Mun-tok.

The ship will return to Japan early in April.

In discussing the status of internees liberated in the Philippines, the War-State announcement said it is expected that the names of those freed "will become available in the near future through appropriate War Department channels."

Approve New District Plan

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—(AP)—

Missouri Republican members of the house have approved a plan for congressional redistricting in that state which they said came to them from state legislative sources.

Some Democratic house members from Missouri said they had no objection to the plan which they said is designed to bring about more contiguous districts about equal in population.

Rep. Ploesner (R-Mo.), who declined to say who submitted the proposal, told a reporter that the normal political complexion of the districts likely would remain unchanged under the plan. At present there are six Republicans and seven Democrats in the house from Missouri.

Ploesner emphasized that the congressmen had nothing whatever to do with the proposed redistricting. That is entirely up to the legislature, he said.

According to the plan Pettis is in the Sixth district as follows:

Sixth district—Eliminate Cass county and add Dallas, Hickory and Benton. Other counties would be Pettis, Johnson, Henry, St. Clair, Bates, Vernon, Barton, Cedar, Polk and Greene.

Ceilings on Sale of Wood by Farmers

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—(AP)—All firewood sales by farmers will be subject to price control beginning Feb. 12. Ceiling will be the highest prices charged by the farmer for the same types of wood in March, 1942. In areas where OPA field offices have issued specific ceilings, they will continue to apply.

Escaping From Reich

LONDON, Feb. 7.—(AP)—Lord Vansittart told the house of lords today that he personally knew of "a certain very sinister German" who has been escaping from the Reich lately on false passports.

No Half-n-Half

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 7.—(AP)—Drinking members of the Wilkinsburg Elks' lodge are going to have to watch their step. The club house is located on the city line, part in "wet" Pittsburgh and part in "dry" Wilksburg. Judge L. Kenneth Harkins granted a license yesterday which permits the lodge to sell liquor only in that portion of the building which lies in Pittsburgh.

Berlin Radios Out

LONDON, Feb. 7.—(AP)—Radio monitors in London said today that German wireless communications, apparently hard hit by recent Allied air attacks upon Berlin, were still out of gear this morning.

Woman Found Lying on Floor Unconscious

Miss Virginia Best
Suffered Stroke
Several Days Ago

Mrs. Virginia A. Best, 1301 North Engineer avenue, was found in her home in a critical condition about 11 o'clock this morning when police and neighbors forced their way into the dwelling. Mrs. Best apparently had suffered a stroke several days ago and was on the floor of her home for a period of three days to a week, before found.

Miss Francis Pontius, 1300 North Engineer, said she had been told by Mrs. Best some time ago that if the paper she placed in the window of her home at night was still there in the daytime, she would like for her to investigate. However, Mrs. Best one time had left the paper in the window and when Miss Pontius went to the home and knocked, Mrs. Best explained that she had just overslept.

Notified Police

When Miss Pontius saw the paper several days ago she didn't think much of it at the time, but when she failed to see Mrs. Best about the yard the past three days, she called Glenn Kell, 305 East Jackson, and he, in company with Mrs. Kell and Miss Pontius went to the home. They were unable to arouse anyone inside, so notified the police.

Sergeant George Maness and Officers Lester Estes and Aubrey Jordan, went to the residence and attempted to force the way in. Unable to do so at the time, they called Chief John Lueck of the fire department, who went to the home, but in the meanwhile a window on the north side of the house was forced open.

Mr. Kell went in through the window and unlocked a rear door.

Mrs. Best was found lying on the floor beside a couch, and it appeared she had been there several days. She was in a semi-conscious condition and unable to talk. She was rushed to the Bothwell hospital in the McLaughlin ambulance.

Doctors E. C. Snavey, county physician, and W. T. Bishop, city physician went to the hospital and rendered medical treatment.

Approve Fund For State Fair

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 7.—(AP)—

Funds of \$125,000 for Missouri's first state fair since 1942 were approved today by the house appropriations committee, which turned down a request by Rep. Harvey D. Dow (R) Pettis county to add another \$50,000 to the fund.

Tagged for passage, the bill will go back to the house floor.

It carries \$50,000 from state general revenue and appropriates up to \$75,000 of earnings from fair concessions and entertainments.

John W. Ellis, state agriculture commissioner, reminding the committee that the "fair plan is worth about a million dollars," said any left over money would be used for repairs.

Mrs. MacArthur Still Silent

BRISBANE, Australia, Feb. 7.—(AP)—

Even the fall of Manila could not break Mrs. Douglas MacArthur's policy of public silence, imposed by the general on their arrival in Australia three years ago. Mrs. MacArthur's aide today answered a series of questions submitted to her on her reaction to the fall of Manila and the general's new motto—"On to Tokyo." The military aide's formal comment said:

"Mrs. MacArthur has never made a statement for publication. She cannot now alter that policy without authority from general headquarters in Manila. Only permission from there would enable her to speak. She does hope the press will appreciate her position."

General headquarters in Manila are, in effect, General MacArthur himself.

Big Three In Black Sea Area

Have Reached
'Complete Agreement'
On Windup of War
Against Germany

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—(AP)—

President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill and Marshal Stalin, meeting in the Black Sea area, have reached "complete agreement" on the joint military operations for the windup of the war against Germany.

This was announced today in Washington, London and Moscow simultaneously.

"Discussions of problems involved in establishing a secure peace have also begun," said the release issued here by the White House.

The first official disclosure made of the gathering of the Big Three listed these political questions now under consideration:

1. "Joint plans for the occupation and control of Germany."

2. "Political and economic problems of liberated Europe."

3. "Proposals for the earliest establishment of a permanent international organization to maintain peace."

The statement promised a communique at the conclusion of the conference.

There was no designation of the place of the historic gathering nor was there any indication of how long the conference would last.

Indicate Hopes for Success

But the fact that at this point a detailed declaration of subjects under discussion should be made indicated strong hopes among the conferees for a high degree of success.

Their purpose, the formal announcement said, "is to concert plans for completing the defeat of the common enemy and for the building, with their allies, firm foundations for a lasting peace. Meetings are proceeding continuously."

It was stated that the three chiefs of state are accompanied by their foreign secretaries, their chiefs of staff and other advisors.

It was known ahead of time that Secretary of State Stettinius, Admiral William D. Leahy, presidential chief of staff and Harry Hopkins were with Mr. Roosevelt. His other advisers included War Mobilizer James F. Byrnes, a member of his official family.

War Prisoner Writes Sister

Miss Dorothy Bacon, 923 South Barrett avenue, received the following card from her brother, Floyd Bacon, who has been a prisoner of the German government since October 4, 1944.

"Dear Sis:

"Since I have another card I'll drop you a line to let you know I'm still O. K. I got out without a scratch. The Red Cross is really doing its part. Pope they keep on. They have plenty of books and football and other games here. Take care.

"Floyd Bacon."

This is the second card received by his family since he was taken prisoner. The other was a printed card on which he checked that he was well.

Inquire into RR Dispute

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—(AP)—

President Roosevelt has appointed a three-member emergency board to investigate and report on within 30 days a dispute between the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and the Kentucky and Indiana Terminal railroad.

In a proclamation made public by the White House today, the president said the dispute "threatens substantially to interrupt interstate commerce" in Kentucky to an extent that might deprive that section of essential transportation service.

Judge Ernest M. Tipton of the supreme court of Missouri was named head of the board. Other members are Brig. Gen. H. S. Hawkins, retired, and Arthur E. Whittemore, Boston lawyer.

National railway mediation board officials said the board will meet in Chicago Tuesday.

Bomb Kobe Area

By The Associated Press
The Tokyo radio said that single B-29s thrice bombed the Kobe area today and last night but that "our side sustained no damage."

The broadcast, recorded by FCC, reported reconnaissance flights over the Shimonetsu district, which includes Tokyo and Yokohama, by single planes.

Balkans Hopeful of Conference Results

By Frank O'Brien

ANKARA, Feb. 7.—(AP)—Hope beat today among the Balkan nations today that the "Big Three" conference, now reported in progress, may open the way to peaceful postwar collaboration among the great powers in dealing with southeastern Europe.

It is the general conviction in the Balkans that the conference is being held in some part of the Black Sea region and that its proximity will spotlight Balkan problems—problems which historically have been a headache to the peace of Europe.

120-Mile Front in Germany

Patton's Shock
Troops Cross Rivers
By Boat, Bridge
At Seven Points

PARIS, Feb. 7.—(AP)—Gains of up to a mile were registered against the generally strong Our river positions of the enemy today at ten new river crossings into Germany.

Broadly extending the American drive toward the Rhine, four divisions of the U. S. Third army crossed the Our and Sure rivers, swollen to a width of 200 feet in the face of heavy small arms fire from the Siegfried pillboxes and strong artillery concentrations from deep in the defense belt.

By Robert C. Wilson

PARIS, Feb. 7.—(AP)—Four divisions of the American Third army invaded Germany anew on a 22-mile front today, storming across the Our and Sure rivers between ancient Echternach and a point in northern Luxembourg 5 miles northeast of Clervaux.

Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's shock troops crossed the rivers by boat and bridge at seven points and attacked the Siegfried line. Intense small arms fire from the fortifications was encountered, but early artillery reaction was light.

The fresh invasion gave Gen. Eisenhower's armies a virtually continuous 120-mile front in western Germany between Holland and the industrial German city of Saarlautern.

In the north, the U. S. Ninth and British Second armies are past 35 miles of the Siegfried line. The U. S. First and Third armies are at or through the first west wall fortifications on a 57-mile sector from the upper Roer near Schmidt to Echternach.

Initial gains put Patton's men a half mile inside Germany and among pillboxes of the Siegfried line.

Start Before Dawn

The new Third army invasion of Germany started in the cold darkness before dawn. The Sixth armored, 17th airborne, Fifth and 80th infantry divisions were used in the drive.

Farther north in the area where the Third army had bored clear through the Siegfried line, foot troops advanced a mile and a quarter to within three miles of Pruem, major enemy supply and transit base.

The Third army, flanking the Third to the north, encountered stiffened opposition in the last half mile of the eastern belt of the last unknown Siegfried line fortifications. The 2nd and 99th divisions won control of two-thirds of Hellenthal, three miles south of Schleiden, and fought for the remainder.

Other of Lt. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges men fought within a half mile or so of Schleiden, Gemünd and Schmidt—all bolt positions at the extreme eastern edge of the double belt of fixed fortifications.

Americans and Frenchmen swiftly beat down the German holdings south of Strasburg, capturing numerous Alsatian towns and running their prisoner toll since Jan. 20 to more than 10,000. The once imposing and threatening Colmar pocket had been split in two. The western segment in the Vosges was less than 50 square miles.

The eastern part of the pocket was compressed against the Rhine below Neufbrisch, the old moated Rhine fortress which supreme headquarters said had finally been cleared. The western approaches to the Rhine bridges to Breisach were captured.

Steady drizzles and continued thaws limited visibility on the front.

Legion Meeting Thursday Night

The American Legion, Post No. 342, will meet at 8 o'clock Thursday night at Central Business College.

Russians "Temporarily" Take Pyritz, 24 Miles Southeast of Stettin; Nazi's Line Cracking

Shorten Road to Berlin



Russian tank columns are reported across the Oder river at Zelin and Tirpitz. Nazis say three bridgeheads have been pushed across the river 32 to 35 miles from Berlin in the Frankfurt and Kustrin area. Map shows general view of the battle line with closeup (inset) of action on nearest front to Berlin. (NEA Telephoto)

Strong Attack In Italy

By Noland Norgaard

ROME, Feb. 7.—(AP)—The strongest American attack in Italy since October has driven 600 yards into German lines southeast of Bologna and gained its initial objectives despite stiff enemy resistance headquarters announced today.

U. S. Fifth army troops which launched the attack Monday and broke a long winter stalemate pushed toward German strongholds of the mountainous Gothic line guarding the Po valley road hub in front of Bologna.

The strong opposition encountered indicated there has been no weakening of German defenses despite reports the Nazis were shifting some troops from Italy to guard their Russian menaced home front.

Front line dispatches said the attack did not constitute a large scale offensive and headquarters described it as aiming at "limited objectives."

Truman in J. C. February 22

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 7.—(AP)—

Vice President Truman will open a nationwide speaking tour here on Washington's birthday, Feb. 22, Democratic state headquarters announced today.

The speeches "all will be primarily in the interest of national unity and party harmony," said Democratic state publicity director Cance A. Pool, who added the speaking tour was arranged by the party's national committee.

"Truman's address," said Pool, "is not expected to be strictly political in nature but will deal largely with national issues, with the winning of the war and the winning of the peace which follows, and with the need of unity and the dangers of disunity at home."

Truman will be introduced by Gov. Phil M. Donnelly and his speech from the junior college auditorium will be broadcast over a national network, Pool said.

The vice president "personally selected the date and Jefferson City as the location for the address, due to its easy accessibility to all sections and the fact that it is the political hub of the state," Pool explained.

Major Gen. Kernan Buried in Arlington

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—(AP)—

Maj. Gen. Francis Joseph Kernan, 86, who served on Gen. Douglas MacArthur's staff in the Philippines and was a technical military adviser to groups negotiating the peace pact to end World War I, was buried in Arlington cemetery yesterday with full military honors.

General Kernan died unexpectedly Saturday at Daytona Beach, Fla., where he had made his winter home for many years. He retired from active service in 1922.

Soviet Writer Wants Fate of Reich Settled

Charges Pope Pius
With Being 'Preacher
Of Soft Peace'

By Daniel De Luce

MOSCOW, Feb. 7.—(AP)—K. Gofman, writing in Red Star today, called Pope Pius the mouthpiece of Germany and the "preacher of a soft peace" and apparently served notice that the Soviet Union would resist any Vatican interference in Germany, Austria, Hungary and Poland.

Gofman's sharply worded international review, without referring to the meeting of the big three, said the time was ripe for the Allied powers to settle the post-war fate of Hitler's Reich.

The author singled out Dorothy Thompson, New York columnist, as an example of elements in the United States and Britain which he declared "try to break down Allied unity in the last stage of the European war, accusing the Soviet Union and Britain of unilateral actions."

Using quotations attributed to Harry Hopkins, President Roosevelt's associate, and editorials in the Kansas City Star and the New York Herald Tribune, the author gave arguments supporting the Russian policy in behalf of the security system of Europe and against the Allied political record in Italy.

Gave Hopkins Credit
Hopkins, the writer said, exposed the presence of fascists in Italy's government and army.

But against the Pope the author mounted his strongest attack. He began with the charge that the Vatican's war-time policy had been pro-Nazi and had included attempts to "save Mussolini and prevent the democratization of Italy."

Gofman cited a French news agency report that the Pope was preparing a new message which would run contrary to the Allied program for post-war Europe.

"The Vatican's anti-Soviet campaign on the Polish question is being carried on by the Catholic press in England and the United States," he declared.

In New York, Miss Thompson's secretary said the columnist was out of town and not available for comment on the Red Star article.

Will Vote in Each Precinct in County

The judges of election to vote for or against the new proposed constitution held on Tuesday, February 27 are to be selected within the next few days by the county court.

It is the plan at present, to select one judge and one clerk from each political party to serve. Voting will take place in each precinct in the county and city.

Zhukov's First White Russian Army 35 Miles or Less East of Berlin

By Daniel De Luce

LONDON, Feb. 7.—(AP)—The Russians "temporarily" captured Pyritz, 24 miles southeast of Stettin, the German radio announced today. The town "changed hands twice during the last 24 hours, said the broadcast.

MOSCOW, Feb. 7.—(AP)—Russia's invasion hosts flowed today toward western Silesia in the direction of Saxony and the Sudetenland, leaving the enemy's shattered upper Oder river line deep in their rear.

This fresh collapse of German positions on Marshal Ivan S. Konev's First Ukrainian front ushered in a new phase of the battle of Germany with the Red army forces rapidly exploiting an opportunity to slash into the southern flank of the Berlin-Prague defense axis.

At the same time from points 35 miles or less east of Berlin's outskirts Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's First White Russian army was hammering the enemy fortified zone that embraces Frankfurt and Kustrin with a record concentration of artillery. Zhukov has not yet claimed a bridgehead across the Oder in that sector.

First to Cross

Marshal Konev, first to conquer the Oder, also had been first across the Dnieper, Bug and Vistula rivers.

Pouring the bulk of his infantry past the breachhead Oder line, his deploying forces to the west spread out over a network of paved roads, including a wide super highway leading directly northwest to Berlin, about 180 miles away.

Konev won the crossing, first announced last night by Marshal Stalin in an order of the day, despite a thaw which set in throughout Silesia about the middle of last week. Moving swiftly he avoided a bogdown in the mud and routed enemy garrisons from a number of towns before they could sabotage their own armaments.

Doctors Will Not Give up

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 7.—(AP)—Medical leaders here say they will continue their efforts to establish a four-year medical school of the University of Missouri with the final two years in Kansas City in spite of the opposition voiced yesterday by the university board of curators.

"The curators have backtracked on their own plan for expansion," said Dr. A. W. McAlester, who has worked many years to establish the school here.

Dr. McAlester said he referred to 1943 negotiations between the university and the city for use of the general hospital facilities in expanding the medical school. "It's more important now than ever that this work be started," he declared. "Every doctor, without exception, who was acceptable in the age limits, volunteered for service with the army and navy. There are many doctors practicing now who would be retired if they were not desperately needed. What better cause do you need for doing something?"

He'd Send Wives Overseas With Men

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—(AP)—James G. Fulton, a bachelor, a navy man and the newest member of congress, came up today with this idea:

"Let's send wives of fighting men overseas to be with them everywhere but in the advance combat areas."

The Pennsylvania Republican has just taken over his house seat after serving as deck officer for an aircraft carrier in the Pacific. "I don't see why my idea would not work," Fulton declared in an interview. "I know it would be a great morale builder."

The Weather

Central Missouri: Snow flurries and colder today

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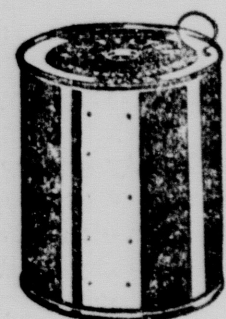
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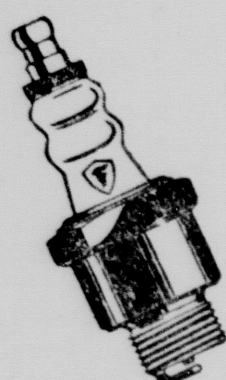
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House Vote For Pension Hike

Some Reference As To 'Beer And Show Money'

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 7.—(AP)—Flicking off the potshots of a few representatives who objected to "beer and show money" payments, the house Tuesday passed a bill to hike the ceiling on old age pensions and aid to dependent children payments.

Also passed was a lobbyist registration bill. Both measures now go to the senate.

Bills to set up a governor-appointed commission to probe conditions and causes of juvenile delinquency and to establish a retirement pension plan for public school teachers were introduced in the house.

Drawing most fire on the pension-boost bill was an amendment hiking to \$80 from \$60 the amount a family can receive monthly for aid to children.

Rep. W. A. Pape (R), Bollinger county, cited case histories from his county and charged some families spend almost the entire ADC checks on "gas for their cars, beer and shows."

A demand for a house investigation of how pension money is spent was raised by Rep. Lee Hamlin (R), Jackson county, who said "doubling the old age payments would cost the taxpayers \$5,000,000 more a year."

The bill as passed would raise individual maximum pensions to \$40 a month from the present \$30 and allow a husband and wife \$80 compared with the present \$45. It originally called for a maximum of \$60 to man and wife.

Rep. George Munger (D), Stoddard county, had clear sailing with his bill to require lobbyists to register with the secretary of state, list what legislation they oppose or favor and report their income for lobbying activities. A similar bill died last session in the senate after winning house approval.

Probe On Delinquency

The proposal to probe the background of a rising juvenile delinquency problem came from the House Republican leadership — Reps. Howard Elliott of St. Louis county, speaker; Murray Thompson of Webster county, speaker pro tem, and Randall R. Kitt of Livingston county, floor leader.

The commission, which would have from five to seven members, would have power to look into reform schools and orphanages, hold hearings, and examine records and documents of state agencies which deal with neglected or dependent children.

In the Service

BIG SPRING, Texas — Private Henry F. Donlon, son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Donlon of 720 West Fifth street, recently arrived at the Big Spring Bombardier school and has been assigned to duty, Colonel Ralph C. Rockwood, commanding officer, has announced.

A 1940 graduate of Wyandotte high school in Kansas City, Pvt. Donlon was a salesman for the Roberts shop in Kansas City before entering service. He is assigned to duty in the bomb trainer department.

Mrs. Arthur Bacon, Route 1, Beaman, has received word that her husband, Pvt. Arthur Bacon, has been promoted to the rank of private first class. He is stationed with the 128th General Hospital in England. Mrs. Bacon and their daughter whom Pfc. Bacon has never seen are living with Mrs. Bacon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wolftrum. Mrs. Bacon was the former Miss Mary Alice Murray of Sedalia, but resided in St. Louis for the past three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baker of Ottumwa have received a V-mail letter from their son, Cpl. B. B. Baker, stating that he had arrived safely in France. The letter was dated January 10.

Mrs. M. J. Janssen, 721 East Sixteenth street, received a letter from her son, Charles Ratje, in which he told her that he had been promoted from staff sergeant to technical sergeant, T/Sgt. Ratje is somewhere in Belgium.

"Stringing out" isn't an official army phrase, but that's precisely what the 713th Railway Operating battalion has been doing ever since it arrived overseas two years ago.

The 713th Railway Operating battalion of the Sixth army group in France of which Pvt. John V. Humphrey, 2512 East Ninth street, this city is a member arrived at Casablanca, French Morocco, in February, 1943, and three months later the battalion was strung out along 1400 miles of rail line from Casablanca to Mateur. The battalion went to Naples, Italy, in October.

Following the breakthrough last June, the battalion was operating from the southern part of Italy to Rome and beyond. It was the first unit of the military railway service to arrive on the Riviera beachhead in southern France invasion and now the men are following their old routine, scattered in detachments along hundreds of miles of French railroad line, operating trains, repairing bridges and laying track. Their job is to make sure that the thousands of tons of supplies entering the great ports reach the troops of the U. S. 7th and French First armies, now

Convalescing After Operation

Mrs. J. R. Summers, 1117 East Tenth street, returned home

hammering on the Nazis' strong Siegfried defenses.

Tuesday from St. Louis where she underwent an operation at Missouri Baptist hospital a month ago. She is improving satisfactorily. Mrs. Summers was brought home in Ewing's ambulance.

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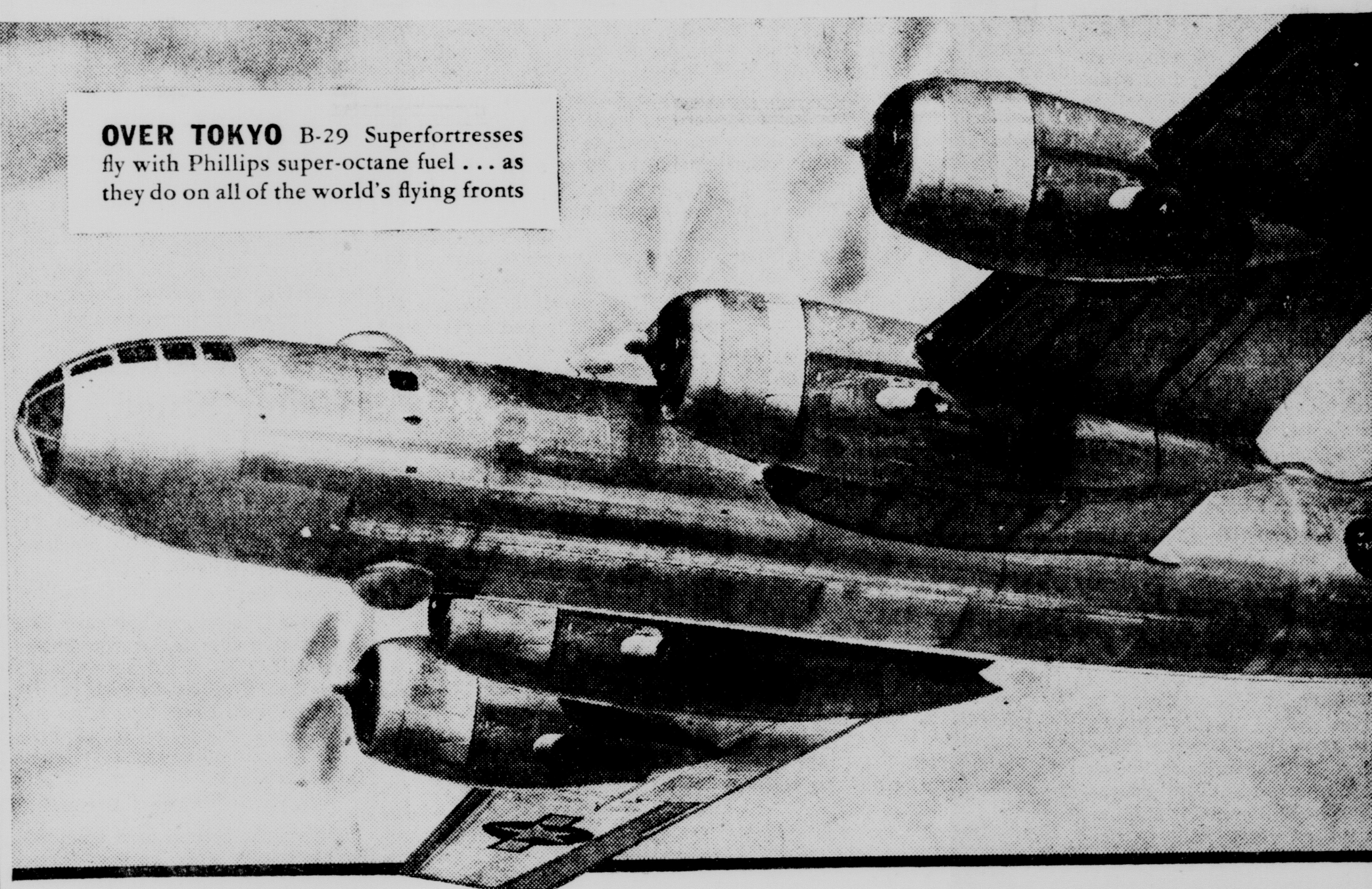
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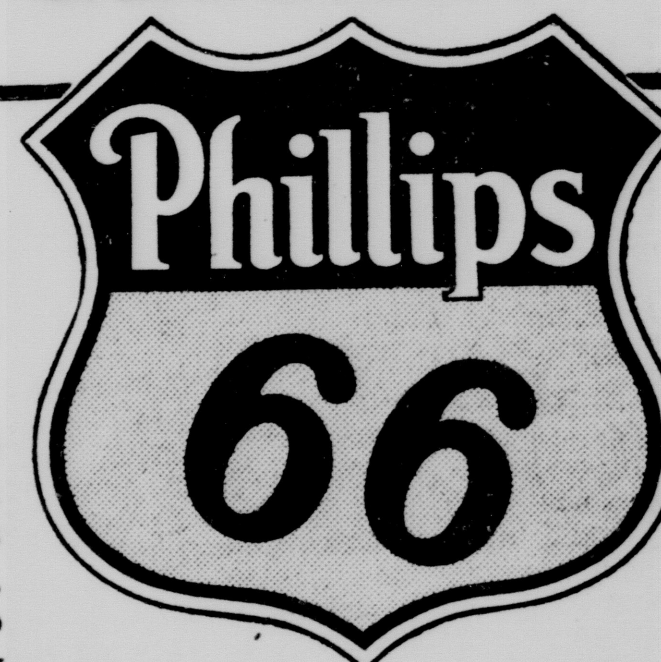
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Hughesville PTA Meeting

Hughesville Parent-Teacher association held a meeting at the school auditorium Wednesday evening, presided over by the evening-president, Mrs. Charles Raggs, where the program chairman, Mrs. Ray Tegtmeyer, introduced Mr. Snider, who was in charge of the following program:

Play, "Fortune is a Cowboy," announced by Tommy Ream and played by Cleo Breckinridge and Wilma Schanz, members of the speech class; songs, "Morning Praise" and "The Weaver," girls' high school chorus; speech, "How

Try folding the top crust of a fruit pie over the lower crust before crimping to keep the juices in.

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Essay Contest For Juniors And Seniors

Sponsored by Local Ministers to Further Religious Tolerance

Junior and senior students of Sacred Heart high school and the Smith-Cotton high school are invited to prepare an original essay on the theme, "Team Work Among Christians and Jews in the Community and in the Nation." The sponsors, are the Ministerial Alliance of Sedalia, the congregation of Temple Beth El and the pastor of Sacred Heart church.

Essays must be submitted by 9 p. m. Tuesday, February 20, and are to be turned in at the desk of the public library. They should be of such length as to require seven minutes reading time.

Copies of the rules and a general source book are obtainable at the offices of the two high schools and at the desk of the public library. Students are requested to register when obtaining these materials which are available to all who desire to submit an essay. Additional reference material is available at the public library.

Award for the best essay submitted will be a \$25 war bond and three additional wards of \$10 in war stamps will be given for the best essays submitted by students of Jewish faith, Protestants and Roman Catholics.

Judges of the essays will be Judge Dimmitt Hoffman, Miss Mary English and Mrs. Sylvain Kahn.

The awards will be announced and presented at the Brotherhood Week program on Thursday evening, February 22, at 8 o'clock in Smith-Cotton high school auditorium.

Two sets of suggestive questions have been offered for guidance of the essay writers:

1. What factors affect relations between Christians and Jews in the community and in the nation? What has been the history of relations between religious groups in the United States?

How true are the common criticisms of "other" religious groups? How can team work be brought about?

2. What is prejudice? How do we get our prejudices? What do prejudices do to us? What can we do to these prejudices? Will the elimination of prejudices bring about team work?

Purpose of Conference
The purpose of the National Conference of Christians and Jews is:

"Believing in a spiritual interpretation of the universe and deriving its inspiration therefrom, the National Conference of Christians and Jews exists to promote justice, amity, understanding and cooperation among Protestants, Roman Catholics and Jews in the United States, and to analyze, moderate and finally eliminate intergroup prejudices which distort and distort religious, business, social and political relations, with a view to the establishment of a social order in which the religious ideals of brotherhood and justice shall become the standards of human relationships."

Second Oak Leaf Award

EIGHTH AIR FORCE BOMBER STATION, England — For "meritorious achievement" while participating in bomber operations over Germany and enemy occupied Europe, Technical Sergeant Homer C. Anderson, 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Anderson, Lakeview Heights, Missouri, has been awarded a second oak leaf cluster to his previously won cluster and air medal. It was announced by the commanding general, first air division.

Sgt. Anderson, waist gunner on a B-17 Flying Fortress, is a member of the 91st Bombardment Group, veteran heavy bomber unit of more than two years service in the European theater of operations. This group, commanded by Colonel Henry W. Terry, Ossining, N. Y., is the combat home of such famous forts as "Memphis Belle" and was the first group to complete 100 daylight high altitude bombing missions from this theater. Sgt. Anderson has participated in assaults upon the continent ranging from the bombing of transportation centers and marshalling yards behind the enemy lines in support of ground troops to the bombing of synthetic oil plants deep in the German Reich. He recently took part in the group's 275th aerial assault.

Sgt. Anderson attended Cole Camp high school, Missouri, for 2 years and prior to joining the air force in January, 1942, was engaged in truck driving and farming.

Mrs. Chester Long Undergoes Operation
Mrs. Chester Long, of 1811 south Carr avenue, recently admitted to the Security Benefit Association hospital at Topeka, Kas., underwent an operation there Monday and is doing as well as could be anticipated.

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Mrs. R. R. Lujin

Hugh Ferguson, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Ferguson, has been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant. He has been stationed on the eastern coast.

Mrs. William Bettis has returned to her home in St. Joseph after a several weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. C. O. Sherman and family.

Mrs. Olen Hoeft and son, Clifford of Sedalia recently visited Mrs. Bruce Ulmer.

Lilburn Lujin, seaman second class, Great Lakes, Ill., Gene Bremer and Hulen Luetjen of Kansas City spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Demand and son George took their daughter and sister, Miss Norma Demand, to Columbia Friday, where she enrolled at the Missouri university Saturday.

Little Bobby Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Smith, was brought home from Bothwell hospital Friday. He entered the hospital Christmas day for an operation to remove a ruptured appendix.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Ramsey entertained the following guests Friday evening: Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Case, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Daniels, and Mrs. Howard Hall. The evening was spent in playing bingo and cards. The hostess served a two-course luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Lujin entertained the following guests at dinner Wednesday evening in honor of their son, Lilburn: Mrs. T. D. Ott of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rissler and daughter, Alice, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Demand and son George and daughter Norma. L. M. Monsees attended the Horse and Mule Breeders association meeting held in Columbia on Thursday.

Relatives here have been notified that Lieut. Robert Goetz has been transferred from Lincoln, Neb., to Ardmore, Okla. He and Mrs. Goetz drove to their new location last week. Lieut. Goetz has met Pfc. Harold Gilmore also stationed there.

Pfc. R. L. Young stationed at Ft. Leonard Wood, is spending a two weeks furlough here with his wife and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griffin entertained the following guests with an oyster supper Saturday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Griffin and son Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schleusing and daughter Phyllis, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Daniels and Mr. and Mrs. Olen Monsees and daughter. The occasion was in honor of Mr. Griffin's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Pace entertained with a pinocle party Saturday night the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Oehrike, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Momborg and daughters Phyllis and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wagenknecht and son Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Sharper, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kays and children, R. D., Mary Lee and Max.

Miss Marian Demand of Edgerton spent Saturday and Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Demand.

Vaughn White of the navy, Mrs. White and their daughter, Peggy, of the state of California and Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Edward G. Ringen of Yuma, Ariz., arrived Thursday night by auto for a visit with their aunts, Mrs. Emma Bohon and Miss Etta Boucher and other relatives. Mrs. White and daughter have come to make their home here in their apartment with Miss Boucher.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bremer entertained a group of young people Saturday night. Honor guests were their son, Gene Bremer of Kansas City, Lilburn Lujin, seaman second class at Great Lakes, Ill., and Hulen Luetjen, Kansas City. Others present were George Demand, Joan Daniels, Bonnie Faye Hoeft, Wayne Frazier and Lois Bremer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ulmer had the following dinner guests Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Sutherland and Mr. and Mrs. William Reid all of Sedalia.

Mrs. R. R. Lujin and son Lilburn went to Dalton Friday to visit the former's father, W. A. Grotjan and her sister, Mrs. Gus Bucksath and family.

Fifty Thousand To University

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 7.—(AP)—The endowment association of the University of Kansas will receive \$50,000 under the will of Dr. Logan Clendening, medical writer, filed for probate here late Tuesday.

All medical and scientific books owned by him will be turned over to the library of medical history of the Hixon laboratory of the medical department of Kansas University, the will stipulates.

The will also states the \$50,000 fund will be administered under restrictions of the university's medical school administrative committee.

No estimate of the value of the estate was given.

After the endowment bequest and several minor gifts have been distributed, the will states, the remainder of the estate goes to the widow, Mrs. Dorothy Hixon Clendening.

Dr. Clendening was found dead in his home here Jan. 31.

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Merry-Go-Round

by DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—If the U. S. army has any friends left on the senate military affairs committee when the work-or-fight bill is finally passed, it will not be the fault of the brass hats. Senators and even a lot of congressmen are boiling mad over the way the army has said now-we-want-it, now-we-don't-want-it, regarding vital amendments to the work-or-fight bill.

The climax came in a closed-door session of the senate military affairs committee last Saturday, which featured the stormiest debate seen in any committee for years.

On the day previous, the committee had adopted an amendment which army favored (ot at least so it said in a formal letter) which would put the administration of the work-or-fight bill under war mobilizer Byrnes. This meant that Byrnes would delegate the administration to Paul McNutt's war manpower commission, since Byrnes favors the WMC. The original bill, as passed by the house, placed work-or-fight administration in the hands of General Lewis Hershey's selective service.

Because of the small number of senators present at Friday's committee meeting when the Byrnes amendment was adopted, a second meeting was held on Saturday, with a full quorum present. Forthright Senator Joe O'Mahoney of Wyoming opened the secret session by delivering a sarcastic attack on the army. He pointed to all the tragic mistakes of the war department and their repeated demands for centralization of authority. Time after time the army has demanded this or demanded that, O'Mahoney charged, only to later change its mind and find it was wrong. Now, he concluded, how can we tell whether they are not equally wrong in demanding this bill?

Following this, Senator Chan Gurney, South Dakota Republican, announced: "I have had a communication from the war department, which desires a further amendment to the bill."

The war department, he went on to say was opposed to the Byrnes amendment adopted the preceding day (though it had gone on record as favoring it).

At this point, Chairman Thomas of Utah rose halfway out of his chair. Senator Thomas was formerly a Mormon missionary, but when he becomes indignant his voice becomes as vibrant as the bass notes of an organ.

"Do you mean to tell me," boomed the Utah senator, "that at this late date the war department, having already agreed to this bill,

THE WAY OUR PEOPLE LIVED

Chicago—The Young Giant

JEFF MARTIN had been in Chicago exactly one week when he received a written invitation, through the mail, from Caroline Henderson inviting him to come to a little party on Sunday evening. She wrote that after dinner a number of young people, friends living in the neighborhood, were coming in.

Caroline was the wife of Charles Henderson, whom he had not seen since the time they were both young reporters on the Baltimore Sun many years before. Jeff's meeting up with him again in Chicago was pure coincidence. While strolling about the streets as a sightseer, he had passed the Bully Bargain House and noticed that that establishment offered its entire stock of men's clothing for sale at reduced prices. Remembering that he had brought with him only a few shirts and pieces of underwear, and needed more right away, he went in. The proprietor turned out to be his old friend, Henderson.

When Jeff had made up his mind to accept Caroline's invitation, he sent a messenger boy all the way out to the Henderson home with a polite and stilted acceptance written on hotel paper. He himself was staying at the Briggs House downtown until he got settled.

THERE were six or seven young men and women at the Sunday evening party besides a number of their elders. They ran all over the house as if they owned it, calling aloud to one another, in the highest of youthful spirits. Some played games, such as lotto, par-

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Mrs. Henderson had a supper served at 9:30, though she did not call it supper but a "collation." It was really a substantial meal, served in plates which one had to hold carefully on his knee to keep from spilling the contents on the floor.

After the collation the girls gathered around the organ and sang the current ballads and such old stand-bys as "Beulah Land," "Old Black Joe" and:

In the gloaming, oh my darling,
When the lights are dim and low,
And the quiet shadows fall,
Softly come and softly go.

The young girls, with their heads bent together over the organ, formed a beautiful picture;

now is demanding another amendment?"

"Yes," meekly replied the gentleman from South Dakota.

"I demand to know who in the war department wants this amendment," boomed out Thomas again.

"The war department," evaded Senator Gurney.

"I demand to know who in the war department wants this amendment," repeated Senator Thomas.

"Well," hesitated Senator Gurney, "it came from General Persons' office."

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AT about a quarter to 10 Charles Henderson went out on the lawn to see if all the chairs had been brought in. He returned quickly to the sitting room and beckoned to Jeff Martin and another man. They wondered what was in his mind until they got outdoors and Henderson pointed southward. Over that section of the city—but far downtown—there stood a fiery glow that cast shadows of the three men standing on the Henderson lawn. "That's a big blaze," said the heavily bearded man—Mr. Pollard was his name—who had

come out with Jeff and Charlie, "and it covers ground, too. Wide as a dozen sunrises."

"Where do you think it is, Pollard?" Henderson asked, rather anxiously, or so Jeff thought.

"It's hard to say, but my guess is that it's on the West Side, down below Harrison Street, among those lumber yards. It's a good three miles from here."

"It may spread across the river," Henderson said. "But that river's a pretty big gap for fire to cross. What do you think?"

"Listen, Henderson, when a fire gets to going in a big way there's no telling on God's earth what it'll do," Pollard replied, speaking slowly, as if weighing every word.

Silently the three men on the lawn watched the spreading glow in the southern sky. The strains of "A Girl in Every Port"—a comical song about a sailor and his sweethearts—came from the

head of the army's lobbying agency on Capitol Hill.)

At this, Senator Thomas nearly hit the ceiling.

"The Lord knows that I'm out of harmony with this bill," he stormed. "But I've gone along with it, regardless. However, I'm not going to be short circuited. This committee has already adopted one amendment which it thought was approved by the war department. If the war department now wants to take back its amendment, it can come to the chairman of this committee."

Rejection of the amendment would have put the work-or-fight bill under the draft boards instead of the war manpower commission.

This touched off another diatribe from hard hitting Senator Ed Johnson, Democrat, of Colorado.

"I'm absolutely fed up," he said. "With the war department's double-crossing and their going through the back door."

"I object to being called a back door," shouted Senator Gurney. "I want it understood that I am not a back door and I resent the inferences drawn from the senator's statement."

"I meant no personal reflection on you," replied Senator Johnson. "My criticism was aimed at the war department. The senator need not consider himself a back door."

Public Hearings Proposed

This set off a free-for-all, with almost every member of the com-

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Looking Backward FORTY YEARS AGO

George E. Purdy, proprietor of the Ohio street tea and coffee house, slipped and fell in the yard at his home, 611 West Fourth street, Monday evening, the fall severely wrenching his back. His injuries although painful are not serious, and he expects to return to work in a few days.

The Minter store at Rodelia in this county was purchased yesterday by E. C. Brockhausen.

Sheriff I. N. Sprecher, who has

been seriously ill, being threatened with pneumonia, is slowly but surely convalescing.

The ladies of Marion Sodality of Sacred Heart church will give a social and card party tonight at the church hall, on West Third street.

Chili Supper At PTA Meet

A short business session of Striped College Parent-Teacher association was held January 26 following a chili supper. Mrs. Ralph Thomas reported on the hot lunch program, which has progressed favorably, and it was decided to continue the project through March. Fourteen dollars, the amount of proceeds from the chili supper, will go to the hot lunch fund. A report of the county council was also given by Mrs. Thomas.

At this meeting, the date of February 2 was set for the meeting date for the study class. Mothers and daughters were reminded of their program in February.

Judge J. E. Smith, speaker, listed 20 reasons why he believed the Missouri constitution in its revised form should be accepted.

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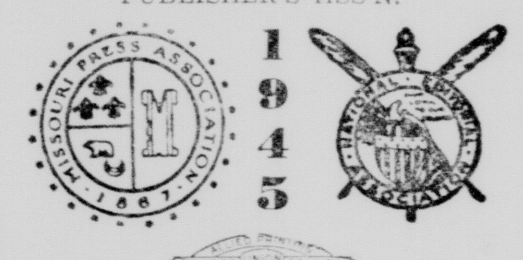
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77-Houses for Rent

WILL RENT MY 5 ROOM house with electricity, 14 acres, 4 miles from Sedalia in exchange for rental property in Sedalia. Phone 25-F-2.

81-Wanted-To Rent

TWO ROOM unfurnished apartment with heat, no children. Call 3620.

WANTED UNFURNISHED — apartment or house, permanent. W. A. McVey 2395-R.

FURNISHED APARTMENT or house. No children. Phone 3009. F/O and Mrs. Lee Garich, Reward.

WANTED 4-5 ROOM house, Possession first of March. Missouri Pacific employee. References. Phone 986-W.

WANTED LARGE—unfurnished room or room with kitchenette for widow. Phone 2771 between 11 a. m. and 5 p. m.

XI-Real Estate for Sale

82-Business Property for Sale
STOCK GENERAL MERCHANTISE — Good location, 7 miles west Lincoln. Palo Store.

GARAGE: Ideal location, building, stock, tools, plenty business. Car storage, no competition, money maker. Good opening for car agency. Priced right. Delapp Garage, Houstonia, Missouri.

83-Farms and Land for Sale

153 ACRE farm, Two sets of improvements. Call 2543.

170 ACRE GRAIN—stock farm, 60 acres, good corn land, good improvements. W. O. Stanley.

8 ROOM MODERN—house, 611 West 16th also for sale or rent 80 acre farm near Houstonia. C. B. Parsons, dentist, Ilgenfritz Building.

FIVE ROOM HOUSE—lights and water, four acres of ground, house in good condition. 20 acres, five room house. R. E. A. line. J. W. Neal, phone 326. Ilgenfritz Building.

407 ACRE farm, big house, 2 barns, other buildings, deep well, gravel road, 250 acres rich second Lamine river bottom, only \$60 per acre. Will cooperate with a live broker. This farm is located in the northeastern corner of Pettis county, about 3 miles from Pilot Grove. Possession Mar. 1st, 1945. P. D. Bail Insurance Agency, Marshall, Mo.

84-Houses for Sale

HOUSE and 2 1/2 acres, 1722 South Ingram. Phone 3260.

4 ROOM HOUSE—906 West 20th, Call 347 after 6 p. m.

7 ROOMS, MODERN—\$3150, Kent D. Johnson, phone 700.

7 ROOM HOUSE, modern except heat. 1102 East 9th Street.

FIVE ROOM HOUSE—modern except heat. 1420 South Carr.

5 ROOMS—lights, water, gas, paved street, east side, \$1,850. Possession April 1st. Kent D. Johnson, phone 700.

6 ROOMS—modern except heat, \$2,550. \$550 cash, \$1,450 per month, includes interest, taxes and insurance only. Immediate possession. Kent D. Johnson, 412 1/2 South Ohio. Phone 700.

SHOPMEN—WAR WORKERS — May have new home built, if present house is sold and you're unable to find another. Or home owners may remodel. For full information. Call Tom Ware 2664.

SEVEN ROOM MODERN house, 2 lots, \$5,000. Five rooms, modern, west \$3,600. Five rooms, modern, east, paved street, east \$3,250. Seven rooms, lights and gas, 3 lots, East 14th street, \$2,000. See E. H. McLaughlin, Porter Real Estate Company.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION — 8 room residence, modern, 2 blocks from college and high school, fine street, bargain for quick sale. Also 4 room residence, not modern, except gas and electricity, large lot, garage, poultry house. Low priced. Ask descriptions. J. W. Wilson, Warrensburg, Phone 251-W.

XI-Real Estate for Sale

84-Houses for Sale
Continued

5 ROOM MODERN house, close in. Phone 3187.

85-Lots for Sale
BUILDING LOCATION foundation in 6 lots. Bargain. Phone 3458.

87-Suburban, Country for Sale
SUBURBAN 6 ROOMS—5 acres. Kent D. Johnson, phone 700.

89-Wanted-Real Estate

WANTED—5 room house, modern except heat. Will pay cash. Inquire 1319 East 16th Street.

3 OR 4 ROOM HOUSE—give location and price in first letter. Address Post Office Box 124, Sedalia, Missouri.

Installation At LaMonte

The following officers were installed at a meeting of the Royal Neighbors of America Lodge in the Woodman hall at La Monte Wednesday evening with District Deputy Juanita Dow in charge:
Past oracle, Mrs. Munsey Gregory; oracle, Mrs. LeRoy Perdue; vice-oracle, Mrs. L. R. Mahin; chancellor, Mrs. A. W. LaRue; recorder, Mrs. Mary Patton; receiver, Mrs. J. F. McKeehan; marshal, Mrs. Craig Temple; assistant marshal, Mrs. Andy Bitter; pianist, Mrs. Robert Burke; inner sentinel, Billy Hall; outer sentinel, Ira Williams; Faith, Mrs. Pete Moore; Courage, Miss Jean Mahin; unselfishness, Mrs. C. N. Moore; Modesty, Mrs. Pauline Tucker; Endurance, Miss Mae Cook; flag bearer, Earl Mahin.
Trustees were Mrs. E. A. Fickens, Mrs. B. F. Parker and Mrs. Clay Curtis.
Mrs. Reams of Sedalia was a guest.
Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Soybean milk is used quite extensively in China instead of cow's milk.

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THE MARKETS
St. Louis Livestock
NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, Ill., Feb. 7.—(AP) (WFA)—Hogs, 2,000; demand very active for all kinds; light 100-150 lbs. showing strength; all other weights and classes unchanged; top and medium 160-250 lbs. \$14.70; 160-150 lbs. \$14.60-14.50; 120-150 lbs. \$13.60; 135-150 lbs. \$13.50; heavier kinds downward to \$12.00; lighter kinds downward to \$12.00; all over prompt clearance all hogs upon arrival.
Cattle 4,500; 1,000 calves; ground 40 loads steers offered; mostly medium and good; opening trade moderately active and fully steady on all classes; one load choice 1 1/16 lb. steers \$18.25; several medium and good loads \$17.75; 12-25 medium and good heifers and mixed yearlings, largely 12-20-14-50; good cows \$12.00-13.00; common and beef bulls \$12.50-13.00; medium and good sausage bulls \$10.50-12.50; good and choice vealers \$15.00; medium and good \$12.50-13.75; cull and light \$11.75; lighter kinds downward to \$10.00; all over prompt clearance all hogs upon arrival.
Sheep 1,200; demand active; lambs 25-50 higher making a 20-25 gain for week this far; top \$18.75; big packers and others paying price for good and choice natives; other early sales frequently \$18.50-18.85; strong at latter price straight; fed Texas lambs up to \$18.50; with some light, higher; medium and good lambs, largely \$14.50-15.75; load Texas yearling wethers unchanged; few good to choice fat ewes \$7.00-8.00; unchanged.

Chicago Livestock
CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—(AP) (WFA)—Hogs 15,000; active; fully steady; all good and choice barrows and gilts 160 lb. and up and most 140-160 lb. \$14.75; culling price; odd lots 140 lb. weights down to \$14.25; few lots good and choice natives; other early sales frequently \$18.50-18.85; strong at latter price straight; fed Texas lambs up to \$18.50; with some light, higher; medium and good lambs, largely \$14.50-15.75; load Texas yearling wethers unchanged; few good to choice fat ewes \$7.00-8.00; unchanged.

Kansas City Livestock
KANSAS CITY, Feb. 7.—(AP) (WFA)—Cattle 5,000; active; all slaughter classes fully steady to 2 1/2 higher; instances of more on cows; hardly enough replacement stock in hard receipts to quote a market but

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Basketball Scores

EAST
By the Associated Press
Kutztown Teachers, 60; Philadelphia Mitchell Field, 42; Brooklyn Army Base, 42, (extra period).
SOUTH
Gulport N.T.C., 38; Jackson A.A.B., 32; Virginia, 41; Williams and Mary, 37; Norfolk Navy, 36; Bainbridge Navy, 32.
North Carolina, 61; Catawba, 30; Morris Field, 55; Wake Forest, 42; Cherry Point Marines, 77; Quantico Marines, 29.
MIDWEST
Camp Ellis, 54; Ottumwa Naval Air Base, 32.
St. Louis U., 56; St. Louis Coast Guard, 38.
Norfolk (Neb.), 29; Wayne Teachers, 25.
Ohio, 70; Ohio Wesleyan, 54.
Illinois, 55; Champaign Field, 46; Marquette, 52; Western Michigan, 50.
Kansas, 41; Olathe N.A.S., 26.
Great Lakes, 53; DuPage, 48.
SOUTHWEST
Texas, 87; Texas A. and M., 59.
North Texas Aggies, 67; North Texas State Teachers, 41.
Phillips U., 31; Tulsa, 20.
Waco Army Air Field, 63; Baylor, 22.
WEST
Colorado, 67; Colorado A. and M., 34.
Southern California, 35; San Diego N.A.S., 31.
Camp Elliott, 63; San Diego Naval Training Center, 43.
Denver, 52; Greeley State, 44.

Annual Meeting of Stockholders
Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of Stockholders of Sedalia Water Company will be held at the principal office of the company, 111 West Fourth Street, in the City of Sedalia, State of Missouri, on the 13th day of February, 1945, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, as provided in the By-Laws of the Company, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated at Sedalia, Missouri, this 29th day of January, 1945.
SEDALIA WATER COMPANY,
I. H. Reed, President.
L. W. Duly, Assistant Secretary.

Herb Pennock Says Baseball Here to Stay

'At Least for One More Season' he's Confident of That

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 7.—(P)—Baseball, says Herb Pennock, is here to stay—for another season, at least.

The Phillies' general manager said he was "confident" that the major leagues will operate as usual this year. He didn't amplify the statement, but he did give it weight by mailing out 32 player contracts and announcing that the club has found new hotel headquarters for a spring training season opening March 15 in Wilmington, Del.

Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.
NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—(P)—The astute Shag Shaughnessy, International League president, sees a trend toward wider use of ball parks. . . The owners, he says, are beginning to realize that the expensive plants stand idle almost 300 days a year and that they can profitably rent them out for fights, circuses, etc. . . One minor league club which figured to lose about \$50,000 last season with a poor team realized more than \$30,000 profit instead just by renting its park. . . What they really need is something new that will correspond to hockey, basketball and ice shows, which now are the big money-makers at indoor arenas built originally for boxing.

Prep Patter

A high school basketball game between the second teams of Warren, Pa., and Jamestown, N. Y., has turned up the largest foul total so far recorded here—66 shots by the two teams. Warren lost four players on personals but won the game in overtime. . . And in Pawtucket, R. I., when West high played East, officials called 49 fouls. . . Blue Hill and Red Club, Neb., high schools had to go five overtime periods—the last "sudden death"—to decide their recent cage tussle. . . The Kaukana, Wis., high boxing squad has not lost a dual match in eight years.

Service Dept.

The Sampson, N. Y., Naval Training center may not have much of a ball club next summer, since last year's players have been transferred, but it promises visiting big league clubs a real big-league field to play on. . . Lt. Hardy Pearce, Bainbridge, Md., N.T.C. athletic officer, has been hospitalized with a bad knee for a month. . . Marine footballers in the Marshalls have one that could really stump the rules experts. . . Their local ground rule calls for touch football while the runner is on dry X land, but when he goes into the water he can be tackled.

Cleaning the Cuff

Dick Wilkins of Oregon, college basketball's scoring leader, was wounded in an odd way in some South Pacific action. He was a gun crew member and was struck on the forehead by an ejected shell casing, receiving a bad fracture which resulted in his discharge.

Henry Armstrong Wins a Decision

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 7.—(P)—Henry Armstrong, the hardy Los Angeles veteran who once held three ring titles simultaneously, battled for ten strenuous rounds last night and finally came out with an unanimous decision over Genaro Rojo, a local fighter. A capacity crowd of 10,000 was on hand.

Mosconi's Pocket Billiard Title Apparently Is Safe

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—(P)—Willie Mosconi's world pocket billiards title appeared safe for the time being at least as he headed into the 17th block of his cross-country championship match with Ralph Greenleaf of Detroit, former titlist.

Mosconi took a 356-point lead as he won both blocks yesterday, coming from behind in the afternoon for a 123-122 victory, and taking the night meeting 125 to 68, the latter in 10 innings.

The total score now is 1,700 to 1,344.

"Please, Dear Santa, Send a Basketball"

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 7.—(P)—Anybody got a spare basketball?

The cage committee of the Arkansas Amateur Athletic Union met here to arrange plans for its spring tournament.

Biggest problem, the committee discovered, was where and how to get a ball. Negotiations are under way.

Sedalia Chapter No. 29, Order of DeMolay will meet in regular communication Wednesday, February 7, at 7:30 p. m. Work in DeMolay degree. Master Masons and DeMolays invited.

Lon Klink, M. C.
Charles Smith, Scribe.

Ten Cagers Go Wrong

MOSCOW, Idaho, Feb. 7.—(P)—It's not too unusual for a basketball player to forget which goal is his.

But t'other night in a game between Idaho and Washington State college all ten men became confused.

Idaho had the ball near its own basket when a timeout was called. Each coach sent in an entire new team. Somehow the reserves couldn't remember which end was which, and while the crowd howled and the coaches growled, they lit out in the wrong directions.

Bob Smith, Idaho guard who had the ball, caught on first. He reversed the field, and neatly flipped in an unguarded two-pointer.

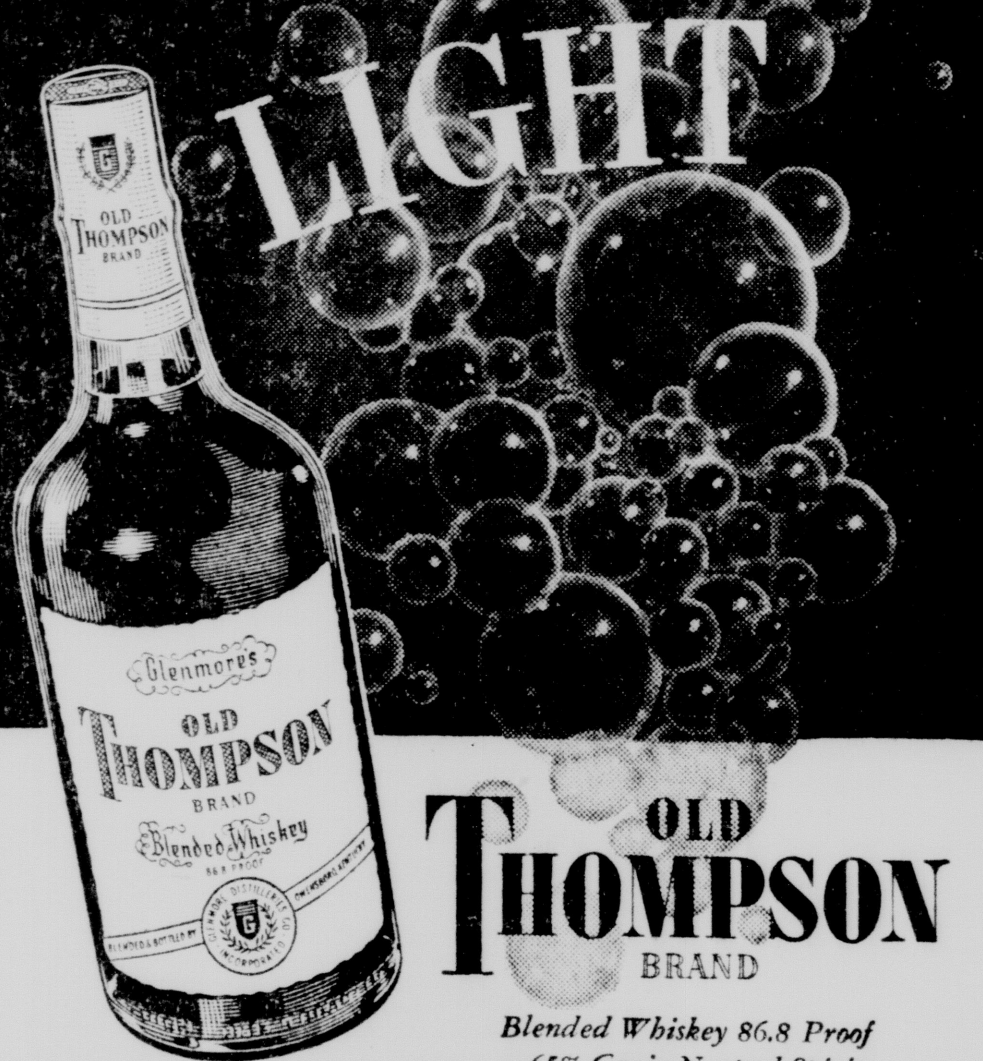
Nelson to Enter New Orleans Open

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 7.—(P)—Byron Nelson, the Toledo, O., master of the links, will enter the \$5,000 New Orleans open Friday with an average of 69.4 for 36 rounds of golf in nine tournaments.

Nelson's amazing consistency this winter made him top money

winner in 1944 with more than tournaments this year, and won \$40,000 and has built a stack of at San Francisco, Phoenix and Corpus Christi.

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